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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 21, 2006, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as follows: